



95TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2007 and 2008

HB4140

by Rep. Robert S. Molaro

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

720 ILCS 150/5.2 new

Amends the Wrongs to Children Act. Provides that it is unlawful for any coach, parent, teacher, or other person to knowingly allow the use of an aluminum bat during a recreational baseball or softball game in which a person under the age of 13 is a participant. Provides that a violation is a petty offense and is punishable by a fine of \$250 for a first offense and \$500 for a second or subsequent offense. Effective immediately.

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1 AN ACT concerning safety.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Wrongs to Children Act is amended by adding
5 Section 5.2 as follows:

6 (720 ILCS 150/5.2 new)

7 Sec. 5.2. Use of aluminum bats prohibited. It is unlawful
8 for any coach, parent, teacher, or other person to knowingly
9 allow the use of an aluminum bat during a recreational baseball
10 or softball game in which a person under the age of 13 is a
11 participant. Any violation of this Section is a petty offense
12 and is punishable by a fine of \$250 for a first offense and
13 \$500 for a second or subsequent offense.

14 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
15 becoming law.